

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



**FISCAL MEMORANDUM**

**HB 91 – SB 417**

March 19, 2014

**SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL:** Prohibits a director of schools from suspending a teacher, who is under investigation, for more than 30 days except in cases where the teacher is the subject of a criminal investigation, a Department of Human Services investigation, or a local education agency (LEA) internal investigation in which the charges against the teacher may warrant dismissal.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:**

NOT SIGNIFICANT

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014788):** Deletes all language of the original bill. Prohibits a director of schools from suspending a teacher, who is under investigation, for more than 90 days except in cases where the teacher is the subject of a criminal investigation, a Department of Children's Services investigation, or a local education agency (LEA) internal investigation in which charges against the teacher may warrant dismissal. Changes the effective date to July 1, 2014 at 12:01 am.

**FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:**

**Unchanged from the original fiscal note.**

Assumption for the bill as amended:

- LEA operations and local school board operations as they relate to teacher dismissal will not be impacted by this change. No fiscal impact on state or local government.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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